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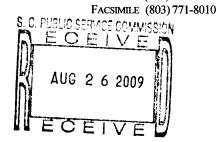
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RE:

Application of LMK Communications, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Interexchange and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services and for Local Service Offerings to be Regulated in Accordance with Procedures Authorized for NewSouth Communications in Order No. 98-165 in Docket No. 97-467-C; and for Interexchange Service Offerings to be Regulated in Accordance with Procedures Established for Alternative Regulation in Order Nos. 85-1734 and 96-55 in Docket No. 95-661-C

Docket No.:

2009-300-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed please find a Balance Sheet in connection with the above application which I herewith file under seal. When filing the application in the above, the Applicant requested that its financial documents submitted in support of its application be treated as confidential and proprietary. The Applicant would seek similar treatment of the enclosed financial document and would request that it be treated as confidential and proprietary.

Please note that by copy of this letter I am serving counsel with the Office of Regulatory Staff with a copy of the enclosed financial document under seal as well. If you or counsel has questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely.

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Enclosure

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